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ANNUAL REPORTS

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SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

We, the subscribers, selectmen of Troy, submit the following report for the year ending February 15, 1896.

TAXES ASSESSED FOR THE YEAR 1895.

State tax,	\$1,095 00
County tax,	559 24
Town charges,	500 00
Support of schools,	1,500 00
Highways,	1,273 00
Town poor,	300 00
Side walks,	250 00
Public library,	50 00
Town history,	500 00
Decoration Day,	50 00
For payment on school house and interest,	2,854 01
Taxes run above sum voted,	52 74
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	\$8,983 99

INVOICE OF THE TOWN AS TAKEN

APRIL 1, 1896.

345 polls,	\$34,500 00
Real estate,	320,315 00
195 horses,	10,350 00
16 oxen,	730 00
203 cows,	5,852 00
1 sheep,	5 00

1 hog,	\$10 00
11 carriages,	695 00
Stock in banks and other corporations in New Hampshire,	1,800 00
Stock in corporations out of the state,	300 00
Money at interest,	22,732 00
Stock in trade,	38,640 00
Mills and machinery,	71,550 00
Total valuation.	\$507,479 00
Reduced valuation,	
Tax,	\$8,983 99
Rate, \$1.77 per hundred.	

AMOUNTS RAISED AND APPROPRIATED FOR SCHOOLS.

Assessed,	\$1,500 00
Literary fund,	194 04
Interest on school fund note,	24 00
	\$1,718 04
Paid school board,	\$1,718 04
Paid school house building committee, amount of tax raised for notes and interest,	\$2,854 00

COUNTY POOR.

C. W. Whitney, goods for Joseph Paro,	\$27 76
C. W. Whitney, goods for Thomas Paro,	88
C. W. Whitney, goods for Noal Rocheleau,	3 00
C. W. Whitney, goods for Mrs. McCurdy,	3 15
T. W. Starkey, wood for Joseph Paro,	2 25
Geo. A. Starkey, wood for Joseph Paro,	3 50
M. T. Stone, medical attendance, Joseph Paro,	7 25
M. T. Stone, medical attendance, Noal Rocheleau,	6 50
M. T. Stone, medical attendance, Mrs. McCurdy,	5 23

Alva S. Clark, wood for Joseph Paro,	\$6 00
John Senica, boarding Maria Girward, 1893,	28 29
E. P. Kimball & Son, goods for L. F. Breed,	5 00
C. W. Whitney, goods for L. F. Breed,	4 86
M. T. Stone, medical attendance, L. F. Breed,	5 00
M. T. Stone, medical attendance, Joseph Paro,	5 00
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	\$113 69

AID TO VETERAN SOLDIERS AND THEIR FAMILIES.

T. W. Starkey, wood,	Mrs. Geo. P. Ward,	\$5 25
Haskell Brothers, milk,	"	4 00
Geo. A. Starkey, meat,	"	7 78
E. P. Kimball & Son, goods,	"	20 94
E. Buttrick & Co., house rent,	"	26 50
M. T. Stone, medical attendance,	"	3 75
Haskell Brothers, milk,	"	4 00
E. Buttrick & Co., rent,	"	30 00
E. Buttrick & Co., wood,	"	2 00
Geo. A. Starkey, meat,	"	7 81
E. P. Kimball & Son, goods,	"	14 23
C. W. Whitney, goods,	"	92
M. T. Stone, medical attendance,	"	2 75
L. H. Merrifield, wood,	"	10 00
M. V. Damon, wood,	"	2 50
Geo. A. Starkey, meat, D. J. Nevers,		8 21
C. Goldthwaite, rent, D. J. Nevers,		15 00
C. W. Whitney, goods, D. J. Nevers,		19 43
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		\$185 07

TOWN POOR.

M. T. Stone, medical services, Lena Blossom,	\$5 00
Geo. Brown, butter, Mrs. T. Enwright,	2 25
T. W. Starkey wood, Mrs. T. Enwright,	5 00

Geo. A. Starkey, meat, Mrs. T. Enwright,	\$21 67
Levi Merrifield, boarding Elmer U. Merrifield,	26 00
E. W. Howe, milk, Mrs. T. Enwright,	6 10
Levi Merrifield, boarding Elmer U. Merrifield,	26 00
W. N. Gay, wood, Mrs. T. Enwright.	7 50
W. N. Gay, wood, Mrs. T. Enwright,	5 00
Haskell Brothers, milk, Mrs. T. Enwright,	9 05
Geo. A. Starkey, meat, Mrs. T. Enwright,	40 84
E. W. Howe, milk, Mrs. T. Enwright,	6 15
T. W. Starkey wood, Mrs. T. Enwright,	4 50
Levi Merrifield, boarding Elmer U. Merrifield,	26 00
L. H. Merrifield, wood, Mrs. T. Enwright,	10 00
M. V. Damon, wood, Mrs. T. Enwright,	2 00
Geo. A. Starkey, meat, Mrs. T. Enwright,	22 61
M. T. Stone, medical services, Mrs. T. Enwright's family,	16 55
M. T. Stone, medical services, Elmer U. Merrifield,	3 00
Troy Blanket Mills Co., house rent, Mrs. T. Enwright,	58 31
Thomas W. Starkey, wood, Mrs. T. Enwright,	10 00
Haskell Brothers, milk, Mrs. T. Enwright,	2 23
E. W. Howe, milk, Mrs. T. Enwright,	5 35
Levi Merrifield, boarding Elmer U. Merrifield, to February 15, 1896,	22 00
E. P. Kimball, goods, Mrs. T. Enwright,	7 38
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	\$350 49

ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

1.	M. Albialtee,	left town,	\$1 77
2.	James J. Brown,	"	1 77
3.	P. J. Bourke,	"	1 77
4.	E. A. Dunn,	"	1 77
5.	W. N. Dunn,	"	1 77
6.	Joe Dushan,	"	1 77
7.	E. M. Hawkes,	"	1 77
8.	Alex. Johnson,	"	1 77

9.	Napoleon La Belle,	left town,	\$1 77
10.	Walter M. Morse,	"	1 77
11.	Maurice McGrow,	"	1 77
12.	P. J. Moore,	"	1 77
13.	Harvey E. Sweet,	"	1 77
14.	Harry Sarah,	"	1 77
15.	Elmer Bergquest,	"	1 77
16.	Michael Ryan,	"	1 77
17.	William Rooney,	"	1 77
18.	William Bishop,	paid in Concord, N. H.,	1 77
19.	John Bishop,	"	1 77
20.	Jeremiah Murphy,	"	1 77
21.	G. Gilfette,	"	1 77
22.	John Opic,	"	1 77
23.	Geo. W. Sheltry,	"	1 77
24.	Geo. Tonkin,	"	1 77
25.	H. Tremworth,	"	1 77
26.	D. R. Waldron,	"	1 77
27.	Geo. A. Livingston,	"	1 77
28.	Walter E. Bradbury,	paid in Milford, Mass.,	1 77
29.	H. P. Sylvester,	paid in Castine, Maine,	1 77
30.	Geo. Smith, insane,		1 77
31.	Charles H. Stanford,	over assessment,	44
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			\$53 54

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

J. L. Stanley, men and care of steamer,	\$249 76
E. P. Kimball & Son, sundries,	8 77
J. H. Bigelow, supplies,	4 40
Troy blanket mills, supplies,	26 18
William Devine, work on steamer,	12 05
T. W. Starkey, drawing steamer to C. D. Farrar's house,	3 00
E. W. Howe, work on steamer,	6 00
Asa C. Dort, supplies and repairs on steamer,	510 60
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\$820 76	

TOWN OFFICERS' BILLS PAID.

W. J. Boyden, services as selectman, 1894,	\$44 00
Geo. F. Maddox, services as truant officer, 1894,	10 00
Elmer E. Haskell, services as selectman, 1894,	57 00
Mrs. J. L. Stanley, services as librarian, 1894,	20 00
Geo. N. Parmenter, services as selectman, 1894,	55 00
Phillip Boyce, services as park commissioner, 1894,	19 00
M. T. Stone, services as town clerk, 1894,	20 00
Asa C. Dort, services as town treasurer, 1894,	25 00
Asa C. Dort, services as school treasurer, 1894,	5 00
A. S. Clark, part of services as tax collector, 1894,	50 00
J. H. Bigelow, services as auditor, 1895,	2 00
D. R. Herrick, services on school board, 1894,	30 00
H. M. Whittemore, services as supervisor, 1895,	3 00
H. L. Barnard, ballot clerk, 1894,	2 00
C. F. Lamson, services as police officer, 1895,	5 00
C. F. Lamson, services as police officer, July 3 and 4,	2 00
C. F. Lamson, services as dog killer and killing 2 dogs,	10 00
A. S. Clark, balance for collecting taxes, 1894,	20 00
Geo. F. Maddox, night watchman July 3 and 4,	2 00
J. L. Stanley, services as sexton, 1895,	57 00
J. L. Stanley, services as constable, 1895,	5 00
J. L. Stanley, services as constable, July 3 and 4,	2 00
J. L. Stanley, services at police court, Keene,	2 00
J. L. Stanley, searching Thomas Paro,	1 75
Walter J. Haskell, services as police officer, 1895,	5 00
Walter J. Haskell, services as police officer, July 3 and 4,	2 00
Walter J. Haskell, services at police court, Keene,	1 50
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	\$457 25

SUNDRY TOWN BILLS PAID.

Taxes paid on Mrs. L. Goodridge estate,	\$25 10
Sentinel Printing Co., printing town reports, 1895,	45 00
Geo. A. Starkey, tax collector's book,	1 50
G. H. Aldrich, insurance on town hall,	50 00

H. M. Whittemore, check list blanks,	\$2 00
Batchelder & Faulkner, retainer fee, 1895,	6 00
A. B. Black, snow plow,	40 00
E. A. Bowen, serving liquor raids,	34 05
M. T. Stone, making returns of marriages, births and deaths,	20 55
Geo. A. Starkey, 2 fares to Fitzwilliam,	28
Geo. A. Starkey, postage,	20
E. P. Kimball & Son, stationery for selectmen,	1 07
E. P. Kimball & Son, glass, putty and washers for town hall,	55
E. P. Kimball & Son, nails, screws and zinc for hay scales,	2 73
H. M. Whittemore, team, taking invoice,	2 50
H. M. Whittemore, team and fares to Keene,	2 76
Philip Boyce, care of town clock to Feb. 15, 1896,	19 16
Philip Boyce, collecting instruments and storing same,	3 00
Philip Boyce, repairing hay scales,	4 00
C. M. Barnard, freight on snow plow,	1 50
A. S. Clark, tax bills and postage,	3 00
L. J. Stanley, car fares on police duty,	1 58
H. C. Moulton, painting hearse,	6 00
J. L. Stanley, keeping 131 tramps,	32 75
E. E. Haskell, telephoning,	30
E. E. Haskell, express on town reports,	35
E. E. Haskell, stationery and postage,	82
E. E. Haskell, paid Mrs. Casey, keeping 2 tramps,	1 25
Asa C. Dort, lumber for hay scales,	8 92
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	\$316 92

BREAKING ROADS, BILLS PAID.

James Carpenter, breaking roads, 1895,	\$24 37
J. M. Foster, “	4 70

L. H. Merrifield, breaking roads, 1895,	\$18 12
T. W. Starkey, “	3 93
James Carpenter, “	4 18
C. M. Barnard, “	1 35
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	\$56 65

AMOUNT OF MONEY EXPENDED ON HIGHWAYS.

James Carpenter, railings,	\$2 30
Canton Bridge Co., iron bridge,	200 00
C. M. Barnard, iron bridge,	1,217 86
Charles R. Coolidge, damage, crossing, mowing,	10 00
Edgar B. Holman, shaft broken on highway,	1 95
E. P. Kimball & Son, blank book and cement, C.	
M. Barnard,	1 25
Troy Blanket Mills,	20 34
H. M. Whittemore,	70
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	\$1,454 40

NOTES AND INTEREST PAID.

Ernest Dean,	\$202 23
Harriet R. Barnard,	102 73
H. S. Gates,	308 75
Emma J. Haskins,	102 92
Asa C. Dort, interest on school fund note,	24 00
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	\$740 63

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES PAID.

State tax,	\$1,095 00
County tax,	559 24
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	\$1,654 24

MONEY PAID OUT ON SIDEWALKS.

H. L. Barnard,	\$250 00
H. M. Whittemore, work and lumber,	40 20
E. P. Kimball & Son, nails and spikes,	1 75
W. N. Gay, plowing with snow plow,	5 65
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	\$297 60

TOWN LIBRARY.

M. T. Stone, for books, 1894,	\$50 00
M. T. Stone, for books, 1895,	50 00
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	\$100 00

MEMORIAL DAY.

Asa C. Dort, balance of 1893 money,	\$3 09
Asa C. Dort, voted in 1895,	50 00
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	\$53 09

RECAPITULATION.

Schools,	\$1,718 04
Paid on new school house, notes and interest,	2,854 00
County poor,	113 69
Town poor,	350 49
Dependent soldiers and families,	185 07
Abatement of taxes,	53 54
Fire department,	820 76
Town officers paid,	457 25
Sundry town bills paid,	316 92
Breaking roads paid,	56 65
Highway bills paid,	1,454 40
Notes and interest paid,	740 63
State and county taxes paid,	1,654 24

Sidewalks,	\$297 60
Town library, books,	100 00
Decoration,	53 09
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	\$11,226 37

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER.

1895.	DR.	
School fund note,		\$400 00
Outstanding taxes in hands of A. S. Clark, 1892,		7 18
Outstanding taxes in hands of A. S. Clark, 1893,		11 78
Outstanding taxes in hands of A. S. Clark, 1894,		288 15
Cash in treasury, February 15th, 1895,		1,225 85
From county for support of paupers,		93 54
From county for aid to dependent soldiers,		78 72
State tax,		1,095 00
County tax,		559 24
Town charges,		500 00
Support of schools,		1,500 00
School house and interest on notes,		2,854 00
Highways,		1,273 00
Town poor,		300 00
Concrete walks,		250 00
Public library,		50 00
Town history,		500 00
Decoration day,		50 00
Taxes run above sum voted,		52 75
License for show of musterfield,		4 00
Fine on William Jones case,		2 00
Received from county, support of soldiers,		104 35
Received from county, support of paupers,		33 29
Received E. P. Kimball & Son, for use of hay scales,		21 35
One-half fine on Croto case,		25 00
Received of H. M. Whittemore, use of town derrick,		7 50
Received of J. L. Stanley, use of town hall,		64 10
Railroad tax,		152 56

Saving bank tax,	\$858 77
Literary fund,	194 04
Interest on school fund note,	24 00
Borrowed of Earnest F. Dean,	200 00
Borrowed of Emma J. Haskins,	100 00
Borrowed of H. S. Gates,	300 00
Borrowed of Harriet R. Barnard,	100 00
Dividend on insurance of town hall,	2 50
Dog license,	201 49
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	\$13,484 16

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By payment of 103 orders of selectmen,	\$11,226 37
School fund note,	400 00
Taxes in hands of A. S. Clark, 1892,	5 90
Taxes in hands of A. S. Clark, 1893,	9 60
Taxes in hands of A. S. Clark, 1894,	37 09
Taxes in hands of A. S. Clark, 1895,	815 72
Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1896,	989 48
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	\$13,484 16

LIABILITIES OF THE TOWN.

School fund note,	\$400 00
Selectmen's services to date,	110 00
A. C. Dort, treasurer,	30 00
M. T. Stone, town clerk,	20 00
A. S. Clark, collecting taxes, 1895,	80 00
Steamer Co., services the past year,	161 26
Money raised for town history,	500 00
Angie A. Haskell, note and interest to Feb. 18, 1895,	216 60
Angie A. Haskell, note and interest to Feb. 18, 1895,	108 92
Selina Abare, note and interest to Feb. 18, 1895,	270 80
Wm. J. Boyden, note and interest to Feb. 18, 1895,	125 01
Harold E. Boyden, note and interest to Feb. 18, 1895,	93 88

Due school board for services, 1895,	\$105 00
Park commissioner's bill, 1895,	20 00
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	\$2,240 87

ASSETS OF THE TOWN NOT AVAILABLE.

Due from the United States,	\$1,380 00
Value of hay scales,	300 00
Town meadow,	10 00
Town derrick,	150 00
Two road machines,	250 00
Stone drills,	10 00
Stone hammers,	4 50
Steam fire engine, heater, hose and hose wagon,	3,300 00
Town safe,	200 00
Lawn mower,	7 00
One plow,	12 00
Two iron bars,	2 00
Two shovels,	1 30
Two picks,	1 00
One auger,	50
Two lanterns,	90
One bush scythe,	1 25
One snow plow,	40 00
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	\$5,670 45

AVAILABLE ASSETS OF THE TOWN.

Taxes paid on Mrs. L. Goodridge estate,	\$25 10
Due from county, for support of poor,	27 36
Taxes in the hands of Alva S. Clark, 1892,	5 90
Taxes in the hands of Alva S. Clark, 1893,	9 60
Taxes in the hands of Alva S. Clark, 1894,	37 09
Taxes in the hands of Alva S. Clark, 1895,	815 72
Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1895,	989 48
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	\$1,910 25

Total liabilities Feb. 15, 1896,	\$2,240 87
Available assets subtracted,	<u>1,910 25</u>
Indebtedness Feb. 15, 1896,	\$330 62

All of which is submitted,

ELMER E. HASKELL,

GEORGE A. STARKEY,

HENRY M. WHITTEMORE,

Selectmen of Troy.

Troy, N. H., Feb. 18, 1896.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing reports of the selectmen and treasurer of the town of Troy, N. H., and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for.

JOHN H. BIGELOW,

WARREN W. KIMBALL,

Auditors.

UNPAID TAXES.

UNPAID TAXES, 1892.

Edward M. Cornell,	\$1 28
Warren J. Heywood,	1 28
James Kenney,	78
Thomas Paro,	1 28
William H. Stone,	1 88

UNPAID TAXES, 1893.

Ezekiel Starkey,	\$1 38
Walter E. Brown,	1 38
Edward M. Cornell,	1 38

UNPAID TAXES, 1894.

Walter E. Brown,	\$1 30
Henry J. Brown,	1 30
C. Thomas Brown,	1 30
Frank Burnham,	1 30
Louie D. Barnett,	1 30
Peter Counts,	1 30
E. W. Cushing,	1 30
Peter Count,	1 30
Daniel Charbonneau,	1 30
Napoleon Decolieur,	1 30
Joseph Daucett,	1 30
Edward Davis,	1 30

Daniel Enwright,	\$1 30
Dennis Enwright,	1 30
Thomas Enwright,	1 30
Homer Gouthier,	1 30
Celestine Harness,	1 30
Joseph Hebert,	1 30
Harry Hewins,	1 30
Geo. H. Jordan,	1 30
William H. Jordan,	1 30
Ceylon Lang,	1 30
Ezexlar Presault,	1 30
William C. Peck,	1 30
James Ringland,	1 30
Bert Sebastian,	1 30
Frank A. Whitcomb,	1 30

 UNPAID TAXES, 1895.

Moses Abare, Jr.,	\$1 77
Nelson Abare,	1 77
Edward Abare,	2 59
Edward F. Adams,	10 62
Mrs. Abbie Applin,	3 64
Henry Aldrich,	1 77
Fred Ayers,	1 77
Henry J. Brown,	1 77
George Brown,	36 39
Thomas Brown,	1 77
Henry L. Bryant,	1 77
William G. Barnes,	1 77
Mrs. Sarah Brown,	14 71
Arthur Baylie,	1 77
Ralph W. Clement,	1 77
Fred Cobb,	1 77
Geo. P. Cushing,	1 77
John W. Conant,	2 40
C. H. Duston,	41 60

Joseph Doucett,	\$1 77
Edward Davis,	1 77
Ernest Dean,	3 11
Augustine Desprus,	1 77
Arthur Edwards,	14 16
Walter Elliott,	12 53
Michael Enwright, 2d,	21 15
Michael Enwright,	2 44
Dennis Enwright,	1 77
Herbert A. Eastman,	1 77
Frank P. Eastman,	1 77
Hiram W. Eastman,	18 59
Edward Ellis,	1 77
E. F. Farr,	1 77
Charles Freeman,	23 72
Fred Freeman,	1 77
Levi Gove,	2 66
William S. Gove,	29 66
Charles Goldthwaite,	20 81
Nahum Green,	12 50
John P. Guillow,	1 77
Alfred Haskins,	23 13
Peter Harness,	1 77
Joseph Harness,	1 77
George Hall,	3 54
Oscar Hebert,	1 77
Daniel F. R. Herrick,	14 16
Harry Hewins,	1 77
Charles E. Keyes,	1 77
Winthrop Knight,	20 77
Joseph E. Lawrence,	22 66
Peter Laundry,	1 77
John O. Leary,	1 77
Albert Louis,	1 77
Mrs. Andrew Mahan,	12 39
John McCarley,	5 31
John A. McCarley,	1 77
Joseph Mayett,	10 62

Leonard Merrifield,	\$31 79
Herbert C. Moulton,	5 31
Thomas Mason,	1 77
C. M. Mason,	1 77
H. P. Nash,	1 77
Calvin Nash,	1 77
Arthur Parker,	1 77
Tisdale Parmenter,	1 77
Charles M. Pope,	10 62
Charles Paro,	2 05
Thomas Paro,	1 77
Charles Putnam,	2 48
William Pirrie,	1 77
Josiah Ruffles,	30 62
Josiah Revels,	2 16
Nelson W. Rice,	31 32
Mrs. Cora Schnell,	1 77
Fred S. Schnell,	1 77
Oliver W. Smith,	2 55
Sydney Smith,	1 77
Charles E. Stanford,	1 77
John Sullivan,	1 77
William Smith,	1 77
Bert Sebastian,	1 77
Patrick Stanton,	1 77
George Sheldon,	3 54
Edward Talbot,	1 77
Charles F. Ward,	7 08
Henry N. Ward,	3 33
Alvin Wheeler,	71
Matthew Wilson,	22 02
Frank A. Whitcomb,	1 77
Ellen Whitcomb,	26 55
Charles Whitcomb,	2 23
Willard White, heirs,	11 51
Mrs. Willard White,	5 31
Fred Stephens,	1 77

ALVA S. CLARK, Collector.

REPORT OF ROAD AGENT.

Received by orders of selectmen,	\$1,217 86
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BILLS PAID.

C. M. Barnard, 94 d., 4½ h., at \$2.00 per day,	\$188 85
C. M. Barnard team, 88 d., 4 h., at \$2.00 per day,	176 80
Thomas Mitchell, 68 d., 6½ h., at \$1.50 per day,	102 97
John Mitchell, 68 d., 7 h., at \$1.50 per day,	103 05
E. P. Kimball, man and team, 50 d., at \$4.00,	200 00
John St. Omont, 90 d., ¼ h., at \$1.50,	135 04
Tisdale Parmenter, 32 d., 2 h., at \$1.25,	40 25
Fred Stevens, 2 d., at \$1.25,	2 50
Azolia Wood, 1 day,	1 50
A. G. Lawrence and team, 7 h., at \$3.00,	2 10
Hiram Mellin, 3½ d., at \$1.50,	5 25
J. E. Lawrence, 3 d., at \$1.50,	4 50
Patrick Sullivan, 3 d., 6½ h., at \$1.50,	5 47
Fred Baker, 1 day,	1 40
Mr. Rollo, 5 d., at \$1.50,	7 50
Mr. Pavo, 5 d., at \$1.50,	7 50
Chas. Freeman and team, 2 d., at \$3.50,	7 00
E. F. Farr, 5 d., 6 h.,	10 00
L. H. Merrifield and team, 5 h.,	1 75
Moses Abare, 4 d., 6½ h., at \$1.50,	6 95
A. W. Stockwell and team, 1 d.,	3 00
Samuel Webber, 1 hour,	15
M. Venn, 1 hour,	15
Mr. Beauregard, 1 day,	1 25
John Soinoir, 5 hours,	75

Frank Grimes, 7 hours,	\$1 00
James Carpenter's bill of work,	1 65
John Mitchell, 5 bridge stringers, at \$2.00,	10 00
D. C. Fassett, 11½ h. work, at \$1.50,	1 73
Troy Granite Company, sharpening tools,	94
Troy Granite Co., stone,	10 77
Spencer & Co., plow points,	1 80
Spencer & Co., 20 ft. 6 in. drain pipe, 100 ft.	
8 in. drain pipe, 50 ft. 10 in. drain pipe, 2 ft.	
8 in. T's., 1 6 to 8 increaser,	31 49
Freight on same,	1 98
A. B. Skinner, dynamite, fuse, etc.	6 23
Levi A. Fuller, 1266 ft. bridge plank, at \$13.00,	16 45
Levi A. Fuller, 614 ft. lumber, at \$11.50,	6 91
E. L. Stone, 2900 ft. bridge plank, at \$13.00,	37 70
E. Buttrick & Co., 1609 ft. plank, at \$13.00,	20 89
E. Buttrick & Co., 456 ft. plank, at \$12.00,	5 47
E. Buttrick & Co., 33 ft. 2 x 4, at \$14.00,	46
E. Buttrick & Co., 124 ft. oak, at \$30.00,	3 72
E. Buttrick & Co., 61 loads dirt, at 10 cents,	6 10
J. F. Hale, 146 loads dirt, at 10 cents,	14 60
Troy Brick Co., 11 loads dirt, at 10 cents,	1 10
C. D. Farrar, 5 loads dirt, at 10 cents,	50
George Brown, 31 loads dirt, at 5 cents,	1 55
Alanson Starkey, 16 loads dirt, at 10 cents,	1 60
A. G. Lawrence, 6 loads dirt, at 5 cents,	30
Troy Blanket Mills, 1 load coal cinders,	30
W. Knight, fixing bolts,	50
E. P. Kimball, nails, bolts, oil, etc.,	2 67
E. P. Kimball, hammer wrench,	1 00
Boards,	50
Shovel and hoe,	1 00
Bog hoe,	75
Axe, lost,	1 00
W. E. Parker, 237 ft. road rails,	2 37
C. H. Duston, repairing road machine,	75
C. H. Duston, bolts,	1 85

C. H. Duston, grate irons,	\$4 40
C. H. Duston, repairing chains,	15
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	\$1,217 86

This amount includes the building of the road from
 Dr. M. T. Stone's to W. S. Gore's, the cost of
 which was \$31 99

Respectfully submitted,

C. M. BARNARD,

Road Agent.

TOWN HALL.

The town of Troy in account with J. L. Stanley for the use of town hall :

1895.		DR.	
Mar. 14.	Concert Co.,		\$4 00
Mar. 28.	Piano recital,		3 00
April 2.	Concert Co.,		3 00
May 16.	Village Improvement Association,		3 00
June 6.	Dramatic Co.,		4 00
July 5.	Prescott Co.,		4 00
Oct. 12.	Al Martz Co.,		6 00
Oct. 14.	Dramatic Co.,		15 00
Nov. 1.	G. C. N. U. dance,		5 00
Nov. 4.	Dramatic Co.,		7 50
Nov. 20.	Congregational fair,		3 00
Nov. 28.	Firemen's dance,		3 00
Dec. 16.	Comedy Co.,		3 00
Dec. 20.	Social dance,		3 00
1896.			
Jan. 17.	Social dance,		3 00
Feb. 3.	Sons of Veterans,		1 00
Feb. 10.	Sons of Veterans,		1 00
Feb. 12.	Social dance,		3 00
	Grange meetings,		23 00
	Catholic meetings,		6 00
	G. C. N. Union,		15 00
			\$118 50

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1896.

Feb. 15.	Care of town hall to date,	\$25 00
Feb. 15.	Wood,	18 00
Feb. 15.	Oil,	8 40
Feb. 15.	Lamps and chimneys,	3 00
Feb. 15.	Balance to town treasurer,	64 10
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		\$118 50

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TROY PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The trustees of Troy public library submit the following report for the year ending February 15th, 1896 :

Received from town treasurer, amount appropriated for 1894 and 1895,	\$100 00
Received of librarian, fines,	6 14
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	\$106 14
Paid Houghton, Mifflin & Co., books,	\$47 25
Lee & Shepard, books,	47 00
Subscription for Granite Monthly,	1 50
Binding two vols. Granite Monthly and express,	1 25
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	\$97 00
Balance unexpended,	\$9 14

The members of the Magazine Club are willing to contribute copies of Outing, The New England Magazine and others, and it is intended to use the amount on hand for binding the same.

We desire to call attention to the advantages of having a free public library, and hope that the people will take pleasure in using their influence in such manner as will secure the best results, not only as a means of having good literature, easily accessible to all and especially the younger portion of the community, but as an aid in the methods of popular education.

We especially wish to call attention to the rules and regulations of the library regarding the care, preservation and loaning of books, and hope the patrons of the library will

realize the importance of the same and govern themselves accordingly.

There have been added during the year, one hundred and six volumes, not including the state or government publications.

ASA C. DORT,
M. T. STONE,
FRANKLIN RIPLEY,
Trustees.

LIST OF ADDITIONS.

No.	Title.	Author.
246.	The Guide Board,	W. W. Hall, M. D.
247.	A Country Doctor,	Sarah Orne Jewett.
248.	Tenting at Stony Beach,	Maria Louise Pool.
249.	A Summer in a Canon,	Kate Douglass Wiggin.
250.	Sweet Clover,	Clara Louise Burnham.
251.	John Ward, Preacher,	Margaret Deland.
252.	Diary of Anna Green Winslow.	
253.	Excursions,	Henry David Thoreau.
254.	One Summer,	Blanche Willis Howard.
255.	A Modern Instance,	W. D. Howells.
256.	Col. Carter of Cartersville,	F. Hopkinson Smith.
257.	Timothy's Quest,	Kate Douglass Wiggin.
258.	The Maine Woods,	H. D. Thoreau.
259.	A Chance Acquaintance,	W. D. Howells.
260.	From Ponkapog to Pesth,	T. B. Aldrich.
261.	Locusts and Wild Honey,	John Borroughs.
262.	In the Wilderness,	Charles Dudley Warner.
263.	A Week on the Concord and Merrimack Rivers,	H. D. Thoreau.
264.	Life, Letters and Diary of Lucy Larcom,	Daniel D. Addison.
265.	Stories and Tales,	Hans Christian Andersen.
266.	Wonder Stories Told for Children,	H. C. Andersen.
267.	Uncle Remus and His Friends,	Joel Chandler Harris.
268.	We and Our Neighbors,	Harriet Beecher Stowe.

No.	Title.	Author.
269.	Somebody's Neighbors,	Rose Terry Cooke.
270.	Little Mr. Thimblefinger,	J. C. Harris.
271.	To Cuba and Back,	Richard H. Dana, Jr.
272.	Three Boys in an Electrical Boat,	John Trowbridge.
273.	Down the Ravine,	Charles E. Craddock.
274.	A Flock of Girls,	Nora Perry.
275.	A Hundred Days in Europe,	Oliver Wendell Holmes.
276.	Looking Backward,	Edward Bellamy.
277.	My Wife and I,	Harriet Beecher Stowe.
278.	The Confessions of a Frivolous Girl,	Robert Grant.
279.	The Story of a Country Town,	E. W. Howe.
280.	The Led-Horse Claim,	Mary Hallock Foote.
281.	Oldtown Folks,	H. B. Stowe.
282.	When Molly Was Six,	Eliza Orne White.
283.	The Prophet of the Great Smoky Mountains,	C. E. Craddock.
284.	Steadfast,	Rose Terry Cooke.
285.	Passe Rose,	Arthur Sherburne Hardy.
286.	In the Cheering Up Business,	Mary Catherine Lee.
287.	Odd or Even,	A. D. T. Whitney.
288.	We Girls,	A. D. T. Whitney.
289.	Bonnyborough,	A. D. T. Whitney.
290.	Faith Gartney's Girlhood,	A. D. T. Whitney.
291.	No Heroes,	Blanche Willis Howard.
292.	Coeur D'Alene,	Mary Hallock Foote.
293.	Winterborough,	Eliza Orne White.
294.	The Story of Keedon Bluffs,	Charles E. Craddock.
295.	The Story of a Bad Boy,	T. B. Aldrich.
296.	Proceedings in Congress upon the acceptance of the Statues of John Stark and Daniel Webster.	
297.	Year Book of the Department of Agriculture.	
298.	N. H. Annual Reports, Vol. 1.	
299.	N. H. Annual Reports, Vol. 2.	
300.	N. H. Annual Reports, Vol. 3.	
301.	Kathie's Three Wishes,	Amanda M. Douglass.
302.	Kathie's Aunt Ruth,	Amanda M. Douglass.

No.	Title.	Author.
303.	Kathie's Summer at Cedarwood,	Amanda M. Douglass.
304.	Kathie's Soldiers,	Amanda M. Douglass.
305.	In the Ranks,	Amanda M. Douglass.
306.	Kathie's Harvest Days,	Amanda M. Douglass.
307.	Seven Daughters,	Amanda M. Douglass.
308.	Six in All,	Virginia F. Townsend.
309.	The Hollands,	Virginia F. Townsend.
310.	Eastward Ho !	C. A. J. Farrar.
311.	Wild Woods Life,	C. A. J. Farrar.
312.	The B. O. W. C.,	James DeMille.
313.	The Little Millers,	Effie W. Merriam.
314.	The Double Runner Club,	B. P. Shillaber.
315.	New and True,	Mary Wiley Staver.
316.	Dotty Dimple at Grandmother's,	Sophie May.
317.	Dotty Dimple at Home,	Sophie May.
318.	Dotty Dimple out West,	Sophie May.
319.	Dotty Dimple at Play,	Sophie May.
320.	Dotty Dimple at School,	Sophie May.
321.	Dotty Dimple's Flyaway,	Sophie May.
322.	Flaxie Frizzle,	Sophie May.
323.	Doctor Papa,	Sophie May.
324.	Little Pitchers,	Sophie May.
325.	The Twin Cousins,	Sophie May.
326.	Kittyleen,	Sophie May.
327.	Flaxie Growing up,	Sophie May.
328.	Lion Ben of Elm Island,	Elijah Kellogg.
329.	Charlie Bell, The Waif of Elm Island,	Elijah Kellogg.
330.	The Ark of Elm Island,	Elijah Kellogg.
331.	The Boy Farmers of Elm Island,	Elijah Kellogg.
332.	The Young Shipbuilders of Elm Island,	Elijah Kellogg.
333.	The Hardscrabble of Elm Island.	Elijah Kellogg.
334.	The Watch Fires of '76.	Samuel Adams Drake.
335.	From Hand to Mouth.	Amanda M. Douglass.
336.	Lost in a Great City.	Amanda M. Douglass.
337.	In Trust.	Amanda M. Douglass.
338.	Home Nook.	Amanda M. Douglass.

No.	Title.	Author.
339.	'Lisbeth Wilson.	Eliza Nelson Blair.
340.	Seven Little Sisters Who Live on the Round Ball that Floats in the Air.	Jane Andrews.
341.	The Seven Little Sisters Prove their Sisterhood.	Jane Andrews.
342.	The Ten Boys who Lived on the Road from Long Ago to Now.	Jane Andrews.
343.	The Story Mother Nature Told her Children.	Jane Andrews.
344.	Only a Year and What it Brought.	Jane Andrews.
345.	Stories of the Olden Time.	Edna D. Cheney.
346.	The Presidents of the United States from Washington to Cleveland.	John Frost, L. L. D.
347.	Young Folks Book of American Explorers.	T. W. Higginson.
348.	The Boston Tea Party and other Stories of the Revolution.	
349.	The Great Bonanza.	
350.	Good and Great Men, Their Brave Deeds and Works.	
351.	Women of Worth, Whom the World Loves to Honor.	
352.	A Quaker among the Indians, in Peace and in War.	Thomas C. Battey.
353.	The Whales We Caught and How We Did It.	William Hussy Macey.
354.	House on Wheels, or the Stolen Child.	Madam DeStolz.
355.	Inn of the Guardian Angel, or The Russian General.	Countess DeSegur.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

To the parents and citizens of the town of Troy:

In compliance with the requirements of the statute, passed at the January session of the legislature, 1895, your school board submit their financial report of the schools. The statistical report together with the rules of order, the course of study, recommendations, etc.; will be made out and printed at the close of the school year, on or before August 1. We present also a synopsis of the course of study adopted for the village schools. In the primary department new classes will be formed only at the beginning of the fall term. No scholar will be received at other times except to existing classes, according to qualifications. The school year begins now with the fall term. A word by way of explanation of our deficit. The amount of money appropriated for the support of schools was small compared with the work expected. We failed of receiving the dog license, \$201.00 this year, as it was held for the coming year. The literary fund also was \$79.00 less than last year. These sums would have increased our available funds by \$280.00, thus leaving a balance of \$38.00, instead of a deficit. In view of the fact that we have had many extra expenses, such as providing a teacher for the primary department, a janitor for the new school house, an entire new set of books for the high school class, a larger bill for fuel, besides paying several debts of past years, your committee have found the task of meeting all liabilities an exceedingly difficult one.

Respectfully submitted,

RILLA M. HARRIS,
DANIEL R. HERRICK,
FRANKLIN RIPLEY,

School Board.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOLS,

FROM FEBRUARY 15, 1895, TO FEBRUARY 15, 1896.

STATEMENT OF SCHOOL FUNDS.

Unexpended balance, 1895,	\$3 71
Amount voted for schools,	1,500 00
Literary fund,	194 04
Interest on school fund note,	24 00
Tuition from town of Richmond,	9 40
Tuition from two pupils in high school department, at \$5.00 per scholar per term,	20 00
Fines and supplies sold,	1 33
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	\$1,752 48
Disbursements as below,	2,011 00
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Deficit,	\$258 52

DISBURSEMENTS.

Regular school expenditures, per detailed statement,	\$1,568 95
School books and supplies,	226 84
Fuel,	139 85
Sundry bills paid,	75 36
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	\$2,011 00

SCHOOL BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

February 15, 1895, stock on hand,	\$49 60
Books and supplies purchased,	226 84
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	\$276 44

February 15, 1896, stock on hand,	\$51 40
Cost of books and supplies for 1895 and 1896,	\$225 04

FUEL ACCOUNT.

Troy Blanket Mills, coal, 43,370 pounds,	\$114 65
C. D. Farrar, wood,	7 50
E. Buttrick & Co.,	5 25
L. Merrifield,	5 00
J. M. Foster,	4 75
W. N. Gay, moving wood,	2 70
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	\$139 85

SUNDRY BILLS PAID.

Mrs. Jennie G. Whittemore, assistant teacher, in spring of 1894,	\$20 00
Woodbury & Howard, chairs purchased in '93,	6 00
E. P. Kimball & Son, supplies purchased in '94,	4 32
Isabelle Heberts, care of East Hill school room, 3 weeks, fall term '94,	25
W. N. Gay, moving books and supplies from old school houses to new building,	1 60
Philip Boyce, three days' labor, changing desks and chairs in East Hill and Merrifield school buildings,	6 25
W. N. Gay, moving desks, chairs, tables, stoves, etc.,	6 20
Minor expenses,	6 00
Interest on borrowed money,	24 74
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	\$75 36

DETAILED EXPENDITURES FOR SCHOOLS.

FROM FEBRUARY 15, 1895 TO FEBRUARY 15, 1896.

HIGH AND GRAMMAR DEPARTMENT.

Chas. L. Simmons, teaching 10 weeks, at \$12,	\$120 00
Geo. O. Smith, teaching 10 weeks, at \$12,	120 00
Geo. O. Smith, teaching 10 weeks, at \$15,	150 00
Janitor,	37 50
Cleaning,	1 50
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	\$429 00

INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT.

Eva M. Fisher, teaching 30 weeks, at \$9,	\$270 00
Janitor,	37 50
Cleaning,	1 50
Mileage for Carpenter child, 21 weeks,	8 75
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	\$317 75

SECONDARY DEPARTMENT.

Grace M. Putney, teaching 30 weeks, at \$9,	\$270 00
Janitor,	37 50
Cleaning,	1 50
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	\$309 00

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.

Mrs. Helena V. Simmons, teaching 10 weeks, at \$5, half session,	\$50 00
Florence H. Silcox, teaching 20 weeks, at \$5, half session,	100 00
Janitor,	37 50
Cleaning,	1 50
Mileage for Carpenter child, 21 weeks,	8 75
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	\$197 75

WEST HILL SCHOOL.

Grace E. Taylor, teaching 7 weeks, at \$5,	\$35 00
Grace A. Clark, teaching 12 weeks, at \$5,	60 00
Care of room and cleaning,	3 95
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	\$98 95

EAST HILL SCHOOL.

Mrs. Hattie J. Parker, teaching 9 weeks, at \$5,	\$45 00
Mrs. Hattie J. Parker, teaching 11 weeks, at \$6,	66 00
Care of room,	2 50
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	\$113 50

MERRIFIELD SCHOOL.

Laura J. Mitchell, teaching 20 weeks, at \$5,	\$100 00
Care of room and cleaning,	3 00
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	\$103 00

RECAPITULATION.

SCHOOLS.	Current Expenses except Books, Fuel and Repairs.	Number of Pupils Registered.	Cost per Scholar per Year.	No. weeks School.	Cost per Scholar per week.
High and Gram-					
mar,	\$429 00	39	\$11 00	30	\$0 37
Intermediate,	317 75	43	7 39	30	25
Secondary,	309 00	65	4 75	30	16
Primary,	197 75	68	2 90	30	10
West Hill,	98 95	23	4 29	19	23
East Hill,	113 50	20	5 68	20	28
Merrifield,	103 00	15	6 87	20	34
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	\$1,568 95	273			

Average cost per scholar, per year, \$5.75.

Average cost per scholar, per week, 32c.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

RILLA M. HARRIS,
D. R. HERRICK,
FRANKLIN RIPLEY,
School Board.

Troy, N. H., February 21, 1896.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing report of the school board of Troy, N. H., and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched for.

JOHN H. BIGELOW,
WARREN W. KIMBALL,
Auditors.

TREASURER'S REPORT

OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF TROY FOR THE YEAR
ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1896.

Cash on hand March 1, 1895,	\$3 71
Borrowed on district notes,	1,515 42
Received sum voted for schools,	1,500 00
Received literary fund,	194 04
Received interest, school fund,	24 00
Received cash for tuition,	29 40
Received for supplies sold,	1 33
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	\$3,267 90

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By paying 73 orders of school board,	\$3,267 90
	ASA C. DORT,
	Treasurer.

Troy, N. H., February 21, 1896.

We hereby certify that we have examined the above report of the treasurer of the school district of Troy, N. H., and find the same correctly cast and properly vouched for.

JOHN H. BIGELOW,
WARREN W. KIMBALL,
Auditors.

SYNOPSIS OF COURSE OF STUDY.

FIRST GRADE.—PRIMARY.

Reading.—Chart and oral work ; object teaching. Cyr's Primer, Harper's First Reader, Part I, Cyr's First Reader, and supplementary reading.

Spelling.—Daily work with chart ; familiar easy words in letters and script.

Arithmetic.—Wentworth's Primary, to page 66 ; number work, 1 to 50.

Writing.—Copying on slates and blackboard ; also Werner's Practical System of Penmanship, No. 1.

SECOND GRADE.—SECONDARY.

Reading.—Harper's First Reader finished, Harper's Second and Cyr's Second begun, supplementary reading.

Spelling.—Continued daily work in connection with reading, oral and written exercises ; Gilbert's Speller to page 30.

Arithmetic.—Wentworth's Primary, pages 66 to 124 ; number work, 1 to 75, reviewing previous work.

Geography.—Oral instruction about the earth and surrounding natural objects, using as guide, White's Elements of Pedagogy, pages 271 to 278.

Writing.—Ellsworth's Copy Books, No. 2.

THIRD GRADE.—SECONDARY.

Reading.—Harper's Second Reader, completed ; Fable and Folk Stories.

Spelling.—Gilbert's Speller, pages 30 to 50, and supplementary work, with constant review.

Arithmetic.—Wentworth's Primary, pages 124 to 212, review work of previous year; Colburn's Intellectual, to page 28; numeral cards, combinations up to 100.

Geography.—Pursue same line as in second grade and cover White's Elements, to page 283.

FOURTH GRADE.—SECONDARY.

Reading.—Animal History Stories; Harper's Third Reader, or equivalent.

Spelling.—Gilbert's Speller, pages 50 to 70, with constant review.

Arithmetic.—Wentworth's Grammar School, to page 68, including easy examples in decimals. Colburn's Intellectual, pages 28 to 90.

Geography.—Butler's Elementary, to page 63, in connection with Potter's Elementary.

Writing.—Ellsworth's Copy Books, Nos. 2 and 3.

Language.—Hyde's Lessons, to page 93.

FIFTH GRADE.—INTERMEDIATE.

Reading.—American History Stories; Normal Fourth Reader, and supplementary reading.

Spelling.—Gilbert's Speller, pages 70 to 100, and review.

Arithmetic.—Wentworth's Grammar School, pages 68 to 111; Colburn's Intellectual, review from page 29, advance to page 126.

Geography.—Butler's and Potter's Elementary, completed.

Language.—Fall term, Hyde's Lessons, completed; winter and spring, Metcalf & Bright's Exercises, chapters 1, 2 and 3.

Writing.—Ellsworth's Copy Books, No. 3.

SIXTH GRADE.—INTERMEDIATE.

Reading.—Harper's and Lippincott's Fourth Readers, and supplementary reading.

Spelling.—Gilbert's Speller, pages 100 to 125, and review.

Arithmetic.—Wentworth's Grammar School, pages 111 to 155 ; Colburn's Intellectual, pages 126 to 150.

Geography.—Frye's Complete ; fall term, pages 1 to 27 ; winter term, pages 27 to 30 ; New Hampshire, New England and United States, topically ; spring term, pages 30 to 53.

Writing.—Ellsworth's Copy Books, Nos. 3 and 4.

Language.—Metcalf & Bright's Exercises, pages 42 to 103.

SEVENTH GRADE.—INTERMEDIATE.

Reading.—King's Geographical Reader, and supplementary reading.

Spelling.—Gilbert's Speller, pages 125 to 150, and review.

Arithmetic.—Wentworth's Grammar School, pages 155 to 203 ; Colburn's Intellectual, review from page 135, advance to page 174.

Geography.—Frye's Complete ; fall term, review topically from page 27, advance to page 53 ; winter term, pages 53 to 87 ; spring term, pages 87 to 99, 107 to 119.

Writing.—Ellsworth's Copy Books, Nos. 3 and 4.

Language.—Metcalf & Bright's Exercises, pages 103 to 167.

EIGHTH GRADE.—GRAMMAR.

Reading.—Normal Fifth Reader, and supplementary reading.

Spelling.—Gilbert's Speller, completed.

Arithmetic.—Wentworth's Grammar School, pages 203 to 266, and review ; Colburn's Intellectual, completed.

Geography.—Frye's Complete ; fall term, pages 99 to 107, 119 to 142 ; winter term, pages 142 to 161 ; spring term, pages 161 to 175.

Grammar.—Metcalf & Bright's Exercises, completed ; Patterson's Elements, to page 76.

History.—Barnes' History of United States, to page 149.

Writing.—Ellsworth's Copy Books, No. 4.

Declamations.

NINTH GRADE.—GRAMMAR.

Reading.—Normal Fifth Reader, or equivalent.

Spelling.—Gilbert's Speller, reviewed.

Arithmetic.—Wentworth's Grammar School, completed and reviewed; Colburn's Intellectual, reviewed.

Algebra.—Elementary work, dictation exercises.

History.—Barnes' History of United States, completed.

Grammar.—Patterson's Elements, pages 76 to 177.

Physiology.—Blaisdell's "Our Bodies and How We Live," complete.

Book-keeping.—Meserve's Single Entry, completed (two terms).

Writing.—Ellsworth's Copy Books, Nos. 4 and 5.

Declamations.

TENTH GRADE.—HIGH SCHOOL.

Algebra.—Wentworth's Shorter Course.

Geography.—Butler's Physical.

Physiology.—Hutchison's; begin at special senses and complete in fall term (ten weeks).

Physics.—Steele's Popular Physics (winter and spring terms).

Latin.—Collar & Daniell's Beginner's Latin Book.

Rhetoric and English Literature.—Montgomery's; English History, Lockwood's.

Spelling.—Dictation exercises.

Writing.—Ellsworth's Copy Books, Nos. 5 and 6.

Exercises in Composition in connection with Rhetoric.
Reading in connection with English Literature. Essays and Declamations.

REPORT OF MOUNTAIN VIEW CEMETERY.

Report of Mountain View Cemetery committee for the
year ending March 1, 1896:

Cash on hand March 1, 1895,	\$10 62
Cash received from sale of lots, 1895,	59 00
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	\$69 62
Cash paid out for labor on cemetery for the year 1895,	\$51 34
Cash on hand March 1, 1896,	18 28
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	\$69 62
Due the town for lots not paid for,	75 00

Respectfully submitted,

W. J. BOYDEN,
Committee.

REPORT OF FIREWARDS.

We are pleased to be able to report that there were no fires during the past year.

The apparatus of the department is in good condition, and we believe equal in efficiency to any in the state outside of the cities.

Respectfully submitted,

ASA C. DORT,
Chief.

VITAL STATISTICS.

To the Selectmen :

In compliance with an act of the legislature passed June Session, 1887, requiring clerks of towns to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths for publication in the Annual Report, I hereby submit the following :

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF TROY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1895.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.			Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Parents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.									
Jan. 1	Jennie May.		F	L	Wilfred Bonnett.	Josephine.	W	Troy.	Laborer.	Canada.	Sullivan.	25	24
" 5	Vera E.		F	5	Charles Whitcomb.	Lulu Grimes.	"	"	Blacksmith.	Troy.	Troy.	34	33
" 10	Edna.		F	7	Charles Freeman.	Eliza Pallider.	"	"	Farmer.	Canada.	Canada.		
" 14	Paul.	M	F	2	Joseph Deslaires.	Emma.	"	"	Laborer.	Canada.	"	20	27
" 24	Archie Waldo.	M	F	2	Charles R. Applin.	Abbie E. Clark.	"	"	"	Swansey.	Troy.	56	44
" 26	Murray Eugene.	M	F	2	Hiram W. Hutt.	Ida M. Snyder.	"	"	"	Nova Scotia.	Nova Scotia.	32	28
" 29	Edward James.	M	F	10	George Hall.	Mary A. King.	"	"	"	Canada.	Canada.	42	37
Feb. 1	William Edward.	M	F	2	Edward Talbot.	Lilla A. Britt.	"	"	"	"	"	25	19
" 9	Doris Imogene.	M	F	3	Herbert P. Thompson.	Mary E. Hartley	"	"	Merchant.	Troy.	England.	39	30
Apr. 10	Albert.	M	F	5	Walter G. Randall.	Annie F. Lahiff.	"	"	Spinner.	Richmond.	Keene.	28	26
" 20	Frank Harold.	M	F	1	George V enne.	Rose A. St. John	"	"	Laborer.	Canada.	Canada.	20	28
May 18	Rosie Anna.		F	10	John Churchett.	Annie L. Mapp.	"	"	"	England.	England.	22	23
" 23	Phyllis Miriam.	M	F	1	Frank Woods.	Hannah Blake.	"	"	"	Canada.	Canada.	42	35
" 25	Hurolid Levi.	M	F	4	Ernest L. Woodbury.	Lottie E. Stone.	"	"	Blacksmith.	Charlton, Ms.	Shrewsbury, Ms	23	25
June 12	Fred.	M	F	2	Charles H. Duston.	Eliza A. White.	"	"	Laborer.	Antrim.	Marlboro'.	45	43
July 26	William Arthur.	M	F	2	Phileas Brittain.	Harriet Lusier.	"	"	"	New Brunswick	New Brunswick	29	27
Aug. 2	Harry Francis.	M	F	3	Gideon Lemay.	Clare Girouard.	"	"	"	Canada.	Canada.	26	23
" 4	Bertha Laura.	M	F	2	Arthur Parker.	Harriet H. D.	"	"	"	England.	England.	26	22
" 8	Charles William.	M	F	5	Fred A. Luce.	A. E. Gallagher.	"	"	"	White River, Vt	Roxbury, Ms.	20	21
" 14	George.	M	F	3	George F. Maddox.	Ida E. Smith.	"	"	Overseer.	Ellsworth, Me.	Fitzwilliam.	47	25
Sept. 8	Bertha Harriet.	M	F	1	William Carter.	Agnes Moore.	"	"	Laborer.	England.	England.	36	37
" 10	Alonzo W.	M	F	3	Fred I. Ayers.	Maud Haruois.	"	"	"	"	Canada.	22	21
" 16	Mary R.	M	F	1	Nelson Abare.	Ilattie Marrotte	"	"	"	Troy.	"	23	20
" 22	Mamie Della.		F	3	Willard E. Hill.	Flora A. Pratt.	"	"	"	Swansey.	Shutesbury, Ms.	33	19
Oct. 1	Blanche Eva.		F	10	Joseph Galadneau.	Marie Chappelle	"	"	"	Canada.	"	33	33
" 29	Katherine May.		F	3	Charles Perrault.	Elcen Robar.	"	"	"	"	"	43	30
Nov. 2		M	F	1	Henry Mealy.	Louie Doston.	"	"	Clck.	"	"	27	25
				6	Edwin B. Dort.	Char. Wyman.	"	"	Laborer.	Troy.	Keene.	28	21
					Artemas O. Peck.	Annie L. Clark.	"	"		"	Troy.	27	25

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF TROY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1895.

Date of Mar- riage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Sta- tion of person by whom married.
Jan. 16	Troy.	Ernest F. Dean.	Troy.	21	W	Clerk.	Newport.	John R. Dean.	Charlestown.	Clerk.	1st	Rev. E. W. Dow,
		Nellie J. Haskell.	"	22	"	"	Troy.	Emma Putnam.	Marlboro'.	Farmer.	1st	Troy.
Feb. 25	Marlboro'.	Alfred Reil.	Worcester, Ms.	22	"	Drummer.	Larchin, Ct.	Mary J. Starkey.	Troy.	Bookkeeper.	1st	Rev. D. C. Ling,
		Millie Harness.	Troy.	24	"	"		Alice Vincau.		Laborer.	1st	Marlboro'.
Apr. 22	"	Pierre Lagranade.	"	29	"	Weaver.	Canada.	Nelson Arnolds.	Canada.	Farmer.	1st	Rev. D. C. Ling,
		Meloina Collin.	"	19	"	"	"	Millie.	"	"	1st	Marlboro'.
May 27	Keene.	Walter J. Teller.	"	20	"	Laborer.	Keene.	Delphine.	"	Quarryman.	1st	Rev. James Cairns
		May C. L. Williams	Fitzwilliam.	20	"	Dressmaker.	— Vt.	Damasie Collin.	"	Laborer.	1st	Keene.
June 18	Marlboro'.	Edmund H. Tenney.	Medford, Ms.	22	"	Surveyor.	Medford, Ms.	John B. Teller.	Halifax, Vt.	Boiler in-	1st	Rev. D. C. Ling,
		Ida M. Heberts.	Troy.	18	"	Weaver.	— Vt.	Jennie Bartlett.	Gaulford, Vt.	Laborer.	1st	Marlboro'.
July 16	Troy.	Elbridge N. Dow.	"	21	"	Laborer.	Gilsun.	E. A. Tenney.	Medford, Ms.	Farmer.	1st	Rev. E. W. Dow,
		Susie C. Hale.	"	22	"	"	Troy.	Andr ^w Heberts	Canada.	Laborer.	1st	Troy.
" 29	Marlboro'.	Nelson Abare.	"	23	"	Laborer.	Pittsford, Vt.	Geo. O. Dow.	Burlington, Vt.	Farmer.	1st	J. G. A. J.,
		Hattie Marrotte.	"	"	"	"	Canada.	Emma G. Barker	Brundon, Vt.	Laborer.	1st	Marlboro'.
Aug. 19	Keene.	Samuel Welber.	"	31	"	Quarryman.	Sweden.	Ozro J. Hale.	Ticonderoga, N.Y.	Farmer.	1st	Rev. W. Eakins,
		Millie L. McCurdy.	"	29	"	"	Dublin.	Moses Abare.	Winchendon, Ms.	"	2d	Jersey City, N. J.
								Celina.	Canada.	Laborer.		
								Joseph Marrotte	"	Farmer.		
								Wm. Webber.	"	"		
								Caroline.	Sweden.	"		
								Abbot Burpee.	"	"		
								Anne.	Dublin.	"		

* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF TROY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1895.

Date of Mar- riage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Sta- tion of person by whom married.
Aug. 19 Troy.		Lycurgus Sayles.	Providence, R.I.	59	W	Lawyer.	Franklin, Ms.	Oren Sayles.	Franklin, Ms.	Farmer.	2d	Rev. W. P. Clancy,
		Alice E. Penno.	"	29	"	"	Providence.	Elmira.	Cumberland, RI		1st	Troy.
Sept. 9 Jaffrey.		Arthur C. Haskell.	Troy.	29	"	Laborer.	Marlboro'.	Joseph H Penno	Providence R.I.	"	1st	Rev. A. C. Fay,
		Mary M. Platts.	Jaffrey.	23	"	"	Rudge.	Joseph Haskell.	Marlboro'.	"	1st	Fitzwilliam.
" 25 Troy.		Wm. R. G. Carson.	"	36	"	Stone cutter.	Scotland.	Elijah T. Platts.	Fitzwilliam.	"	1st	
		Ida F. Hale.	"	25	"	"	Troy.	Ella A. Bennett.	Rindge.	"	2d	Rev. E. W. Dow,
Oct. 16 Marlboro'.		Geo. H. Sheldon.	"	34	"	Station agent.	Fairhaven Vt.	James Carson.	Scotland.	Laborer.	1st	Troy.
		Lizzie F. Eunis.	"	21	"	"	Canada.	Ozro J. Hale.	Winchendon.	"	1st	Rev. C. Talmadge,
" 16 Troy.		Geo. L. Piper.	"	21	"	Teamster.	Troy.	Edw W Sheldon	Westhaven, Vt.	Farmer.	1st	Leominster. Ms.
		Mary Carpenter.	"	20	"	"	Boston, Ms.	Stephen Eunis.	Troy, N. Y.	Hotel keeper.	1st	Rev. D. R. Herrick
Nov. 16 "		Edward C. Preble.	"	30	"	Laborer.	Gilsum.	Jennie Converse	Alstead.	Laborer.	1st	Troy.
" 20 Marlboro'.		Gertrude L. Nevers.	"	18	"	"	Richmond.	Larry Kendall.	Swansey.	Farmer.	1st	Rev. E. W. Dow,
		Elliott W. Aldrich.	"	28	"	Clerk.	Troy.	Ed J. Nevers.	Charlestown.	Painter.	1st	Troy.
		Etta V. Haskell.	"	26	"	"	Troy.	Rispa Howard	Sullivan.	Laborer.	1st	[Jester,
								Chas W Aldrich	Richmond.	Farmer.	1st	Rev. S. H. McCool.
								Martha W. Hill.		"	1st	Marlboro'.
								Joseph Haskell.	Marlboro'.	"	1st	
								Mary J. Starkey.	Troy.			

* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF TROY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1895.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Sex and Condition.			Occupation.	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.		
		Years.	Months.			Days.	Male.	Female.		Color.	S., M., W.*			Father.	Mother.
Jan. 17	Roxana Cadworth.	77	11	6	Nelson.			W		Nelson.		Foster Farwell.	Betsy Gurlet.		
Feb. 7	Jonathan E. Streeter.	40	1	17	Fitzwilliam.			M		Canada.		David Stone.	Hannah Wyman.		
" 22	Mary E. B. Desaliers.	1	7	18	Troy.			"				Joseph Desaliers.	Emma.		
Mar. 7	Franklin B. Piper.	48	3	10	Jaffrey.	M	F	"	Laborer.		Nelson.	Luther Piper.	Harriet Nutting.		
Apr. 2	Andrew Foster.	58	4	1	Ashburnham, Ms.	M	F	"	Farmer.		Canada.		Dutton.		
" 20	Sarah A. Moore.	19	4	9	England.	M	F	"		England.	England.	Charles Moore.	Sarah Collins.		
May 5	Geo. N. Pimentier.	50	11	1	Sudbury, Ms.	M	F	"	Laborer.	Sudbury, Ms.	Sudbury, Ms.	Wm. Pimentier.	Sally Haines.		
" 22	Lula A. Brown.	20	11	17	Troy.	M	F	"		Fitzwilliam.	New Salem, Ms	Sim'n Merrifield.	Nancy Tupper.		
July 17	Mary M. Barnard.	71	10	19	Unity.			"				Abel Perkins.	Straw.		
" 27	Ray Guillow.	8	21	27	Svanzey.	M	F	W		Gilsun.	Me.	John G. Guillow.	Minnie.		
Aug. 12	Merton Peck.	10	6	21	Troy.	M	F	"		Troy.	Troy.	Artemas O. Peck.	Annie L. Clark.		
" 18	Doris I. Randall.	6	9	14	"			"		Richmond.	Keene.	Walter Randall.	Annie Lahiff.		
Sept. 10	Bernice Jarvis.	9	9	1	"			"		Ireland.	Troy.	Joseph Jarvis.	Emma Brown.		
Oct. 13	Jesse Hiscock.	72	3	27	Cambridgeport, Ms	M	F	"		Ellsworth, Me.	Fitzwilliam.	Geo. F. Maddox.	Ida E. Smith.		
Nov. 15	Hannah Fossett.	59	10	3	Ireland.			"	Clergyman.	Ireland.	Ireland.	Joseph Hiscock.	Esther Boardman		
Dec. 8	Jonathan S. Herrick	85	7	28	Derry.	M		"	Farmer.			James Hammond	Joan.		
" 26	Martin L. Newton.	75	5	5	Marlboro'.	M		"		Marlboro'.		Nichem'h Herrick	Sarah Day.		
								"				Calvin Newton.			

* Single, married or widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. T. STONE,
Town Clerk.

REPORT OF SCHOOL HOUSE BUILDING COMMITTEE, OF TROY.

RECEIPTS.

Balance of original appropriation,	\$725 00
Sale of school houses,	929 00
Taxation, 1895,	2,854 00
Stove sold,	3 50
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	\$4,511 50
Cash borrowed,	12,300 00
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	\$16,811 50

EXPENDITURES.

Foundation and grading,	\$747 30
Architects, Barker & Nourse,	248 94
W. E. Austin, builder,	9,082 90
Insurance, builder's risk,	70 00
Coal,	71 41
W. J. Boyden, bill,	71 59
E. P. Kimball & Son, bill,	63 25
H. W. Hubbard, steam heater,	805 00
Concrete walks,	233 80
Desks, tables and chairs,	710 00
Curtains,	35 28
Sundry items,	18 16
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Cost of building,	\$12,157 63
Insurance on building for three years, from April 6,	
1895, and April 10, 1895,	105 00
Interest paid on all outstanding notes to Jan. 1, 1896,	809 77
Notes paid,	3,700 00
Balance cash in hands of committee,	39 10
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	\$16,811 50

SCHOOL DISTRICT NOTES STILL OUTSTANDING.

M. T. Stone,	\$500 00
Moses Abare, Sr.,	1,000 00
Alvah S. Clark,	1,525 00
Mariah Buttrick,	400 00
C. D. Farrar,	1,000 00
Geo. A. Starkey,	2,500 00
Polly A. Bemis,	500 00
Rilla M. Harris,	400 00
Sarah E. Harris,	275 00
Georgianna Piper,	500 00
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	\$8,600 00

The committee hereby submit their report of all receipts and expenditures as above. It has been our aim to build for the district a school house up to the times, in its arrangements and conveniences, and be an honor and ornament to the town. While we have exercised every precaution against extravagance and needless outlay, we have built thoroughly and used only the best materials. Everything has been bought at the lowest figure.

The committee think they were peculiarly fortunate in securing as contractor and builder, Mr. W. E. Austin of Jefferson, Mass., who carried out his agreements to the letter and gave us the most thorough work.

Your committee desire to add that their work has been performed in the interest of the town and for the advancement of education. They make no charge for their services.

E. P. KIMBALL,
 ASA C. DORT,
 FRANKLIN RIPLEY,
 GEO. A. STARKEY,
 W. J. BOYDEN,
 Building Committee.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

[L.S.]

To the inhabitants of the town of Troy, qualified to vote in town affairs :

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall in said town on the second Tuesday of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects :

ARTICLE 1.—To choose by ballot and major vote, a town clerk.

ART. 2.—To choose by ballot and major vote, three selectmen.

ART. 3.—To choose by ballot and major vote, a treasurer.

ART. 4.—To choose by ballot and major vote, road agent.

ART. 5.—To choose all other necessary town officers and agents.

ART. 6.—To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintainance of the poor.

ART. 7.—To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for repairing highways and bridges.

ART. 8.—To see what sums of money the town will raise for concrete walks, and choose agent or committee to expend the same.

ART. 9.—To see what sums of money the town will raise for street lights, and choose agent or committee to expend the same.

ART. 10.—To see if the town will vote to finish the school room below into a selectmen's room, library room and such other rooms as may be necessary, and furnish same and raise money for the same.

ART. 11.—To see if the town will vote to buy a new road machine.

ART. 12.—To see if the town will vote to build a new highway in said town, beginning on the highway at or near the private way on land of Troy Brick Co., and crossing the land of said company and pasture land of E. P. Kimball in a southerly direction, to a point near the new houses of Freeman Abbott, said highway to be forty feet wide, and raise money for same.

ART. 13.—To see what sums of money the town will vote to raise for books and supplies for the schools.

ART. 14.—To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for other necessary town charges.

ART. 15.—To hear reports of agents, auditors and committees, heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

ART. 16.—To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to borrow money to pay town debts.

ART. 17.—To allow accounts.

ART. 18.—To see what sums of money the town will vote to raise for the maintainance of its public library.

ART. 19.—To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-second day of February, 1896.

ELMER E. HASKELL,
GEO. A. STARKEY,
HENRY M. WHITTEMORE,
Selectmen of Troy.

A true copy of warrant—Attest :

ELMER E. HASKELL,
GEO. A. STARKEY,
HENRY M. WHITTEMORE,
Selectmen of Troy.

